

# **International Partners Day - NAVY IPO**

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## Introduction: a Perspective of .....

Chairman of the MOU Attaché group

or

• The Netherlands Defense Cooperation Attaché

or

A more personnel view

or

All of the above

Why a "Team International" concept? (memorandum 24 JUL 2001)

Because the need has been there for a long time! (Ref. Dutch Helicopter example 1994/5; FMS++)

Of course also many other customers felt similar requirements!

Response: Team International; so that .....

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the needs of our foreign

customers are better met.

(Source DoD memo 24 JUL 2001)



## It is the implementation of a de-facto practice

## **Always Team International?**

## TI is best suited for:

- Introduction new weapon system
- Integrate weapon system in non-standard or non-US platform
- More than on military department involved

## **Limitations to Team International**

Unfortunately yes:

Probably several, however a more important one:

The DoD policy on customer participation in FMS Contract Preparation an Negotiations (DepSecDef memo 23 MAR 1999)

It is presumalby in the interest of the customer to have

access to information like proposals, price calculations,

GAO and DCAA reports and supporting documentation,

signed cointracts, data on program cost and the (re-)

allocation thereof.

**Questions?** 

